

Table 10. Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 1997 and 1992

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms	
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated			
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992
Farms	number..	735	649	180	132	102	75	517
Land in farms	acres..	55 256	49 601	14 171	11 234	4 159	41 085	38 367
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm	dollars..	442 402	481 783	583 068	774 750	327 071	424 004	406 982
Average per acre	dollars..	5 885	6 304	7 406	9 103	8 021	8 473	5 484
Irrigated land	acres..	3 265	2 979	3 265	2 979	1 532	1 565	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland	farms..	661	591	180	132	102	75	481
	acres..	25 611	24 411	7 516	7 640	1 965	1 903	18 095
Harvested cropland	farms..	606	517	178	129	102	75	428
	acres..	19 019	18 136	6 001	6 383	1 528	1 559	13 018
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured	farms..	324	301	49	24	21	12	277
	acres..	7 391	5 670	1 239	514	382	184	6 152
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs	farms..	5	9	2	2	1	—	7
	acres..	(D)	462	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farms	farms..	673	583	163	112	91	65	510
	acres..	41 526	36 663	10 427	7 579	3 359	3 246	31 099
Rented or leased land in farms	farms..	229	228	62	59	21	22	167
	acres..	13 730	12 938	3 744	3 655	800	507	9 986
Market value of agricultural products sold	\$1,000..	48 200	39 512	29 884	21 985	10 356	6 357	18 316
Average per farm	dollars..	65 578	60 882	166 021	166 554	101 527	84 755	33 002
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	farms..	507	424	177	127	102	73	330
	\$1,000..	39 423	27 431	29 673	21 939	10 305	6 350	9 750
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms..	292	279	34	17	13	6	258
	\$1,000..	8 777	12 082	211	46	50	7	8 566
Total farm production expenses ¹	\$1,000..	35 350	32 436	20 080	16 200	7 312	4 782	15 271
Average per farm	dollars..	48 096	49 978	111 554	122 731	71 682	63 756	27 515
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms..	161	147	20	7	10	3	141
	\$1,000..	848	1 130	(D)	6	3	4	(D)
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms..	271	288	29	17	11	6	242
	\$1,000..	2 924	4 320	59	34	20	5	2 864
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms..	383	286	153	89	86	49	230
	\$1,000..	2 027	1 348	1 548	937	375	399	478
Commercial fertilizer	farms..	493	408	160	116	86	62	411
	\$1,000..	1 528	1 332	814	744	384	175	333
							714	588
Agricultural chemicals	farms..	347	307	130	106	70	56	217
	\$1,000..	824	904	445	638	168	170	379
Petroleum products	farms..	694	607	177	128	99	71	517
	\$1,000..	1 642	1 487	925	742	413	270	717
Electricity	farms..	505	441	139	103	70	55	366
	\$1,000..	743	733	348	257	164	88	338
Hired farm labor	farms..	277	237	103	88	48	44	476
	\$1,000..	10 755	9 076	8 011	7 085	2 393	1 679	2 744
							2 744	1 991
Contract labor	farms..	83	55	29	19	15	6	54
	\$1,000..	725	508	618	350	293	188	36
Repairs and maintenance	farms..	605	560	157	121	86	67	157
	\$1,000..	2 655	2 406	1 335	1 186	447	282	439
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	farms..	122	112	42	34	18	15	80
	\$1,000..	289	260	(D)	136	32	35	78
Interest	farms..	218	196	82	58	32	29	124
	\$1,000..	1 744	1 473	1 134	633	621	272	136
Cash rent	farms..	135	141	42	45	12	15	840
	\$1,000..	1 021	909	705	591	56	88	96
Property taxes paid	farms..	681	595	171	114	95	64	318
	\$1,000..	2 640	2 119	715	572	329	232	510
All other farm production expenses	farms..	663	587	174	129	96	72	481
	\$1,000..	4 985	4 431	3 208	2 288	1 615	844	458
							1 777	2 143
Commodity Credit Corporation loans ²	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Government payments received	farms..	46	60	8	9	3	2	38
	\$1,000..	122	197	69	59	(D)	(D)	51
Other farm-related income ¹	farms..	128	148	31	30	13	19	139
	\$1,000..	792	1 020	439	402	224	300	97
							352	118
							618	618
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹	farms..	735	649	180	132	102	75	517
	\$1,000..	28 517	24 479	10 913	9 342	4 456	2 717	15 137
Average per farm	dollars..	38 799	37 718	60 629	70 773	43 691	36 228	29 278
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calves	farms..	200	208	16	11	5	3	184
	number..	5 749	6 057	395	285	(D)	11	5 354
Milk cows	farms..	45	55	2	—	—	—	5 772
	number..	2 239	2 565	(D)	—	—	—	55
Hogs and pigs	farms..	60	48	8	3	3	2	52
	number..	2 764	5 488	520	39	14	(D)	45
Sheep and lambs	farms..	69	62	8	2	4	2	5 449
	number..	1 064	1 355	113	(D)	(D)	(D)	60
							951	618

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

²Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.